GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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TRAINING CENTRES FOR WOMEN
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received proposal for setting up of various types of training centres exclusively for women in Karnataka;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto; and

(d) the details of other schemes formulated for the upliftment of women in the State?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Under Women's Economic Programme (NORAD), 13 project proposals from NGOs have been recommended from Karnataka State Women Development Corporation, Bangalore during the year 1999-2000, requesting financial assistance for setting up of training centres for women.

(c) Discrepancies observed in project proposals have been communicated to the applicant organisations.

(d) With the objective of awareness generation and economic empowerment of women from rural and urban slums, Indira Mahila Yojana (IMY) was launched in 1995 covering ten blocks in Karnataka State.

For the women in need of temporary shelter on account of marital conflicts, maladjustment, temporary accommodation and rehabilitation through training is provided under the scheme of Short Stay Homes (SSH). 15 Short Stay Homes have been sanctioned for Karnataka State.